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Subject: HARS Remediation Activity Placement Grid

Project Name: 2014 Fall Manhattan Cruise Terminal Maintenance Dredging Project

**Proposed Volume:** Up to 200,000 yds<sup>3</sup>

Permit Number: NAN-2012-01262

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, NY District, requests approval and concurrence by the USEPA – Region 2 for placement of dredged material at the HARS. The HARS grid (Figures 1-2) will be used for placement of up to 200,000 yd³ of dredged material. The 1200' x 3600' grid is comprised of 200' x 400' grid cells. The grid is at least 2900' from the nearest HARS border and accommodates STFate distance requirements for the project. The project will provide up to 1.5 foot of cover to areas of the grid.

The USEPA – Region 2 has reviewed the placement grid and placement guidelines.

[ ] USEPA has modified the locations as indicated.

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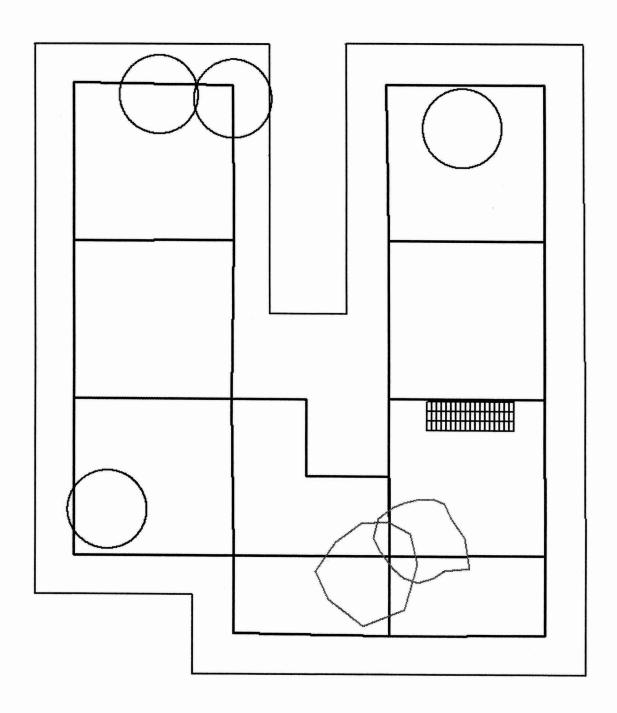


Figure 1. Location of 2014 Fall MCT placement grid within PRA #5.

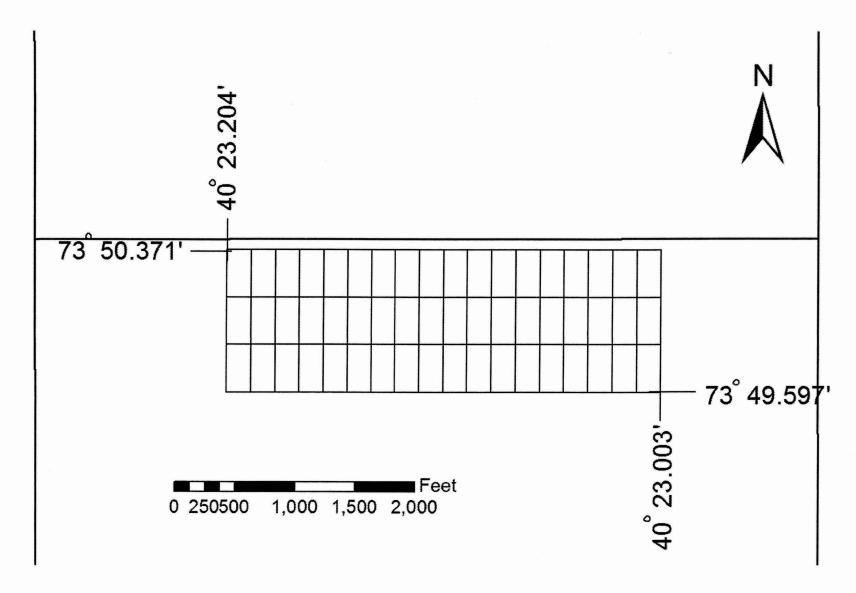


Figure 2. Details of 2014 Fall MCT maintenance dredging project grid at the HARS.